

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Masaaki HORI

Group Art Unit: 2626

Application No.: 09/527,453

Examiner: M. Burleson

Filed: March 17, 2000

Docket No.: 105637

For: COMMUNICATION APPARATUS AND STORAGE MEDIUM

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In reply to the February 17, 2004 Office Action, please consider the following:

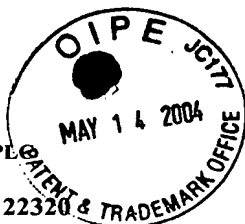
Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Entitlement to small entity status is hereby asserted.
☐ Small entity status of this application has been established.

The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

(Column 1)		(Column 2)	(Column 3)	SMALL ENTITY		OR	OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADD'L FEE		RATE	ADD'L FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	*21 MINUS	**20	=1	x 9	\$	OR	x 18	\$18.00
INDEP CLAIMS	*6 MINUS	***5	=1	x 43	\$		x 86	\$86.00
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				+145	\$	OR	+290	\$
					\$			\$104.00

- * If the entry in Column 1 is less than the entry in Column 2, write "0" in Column 3.
** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
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The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" in this space (Total or Independent) is the highest number found from the equivalent box in Column 1 of a prior Amendment or the number of claims originally filed.

- ☒ Check No. 153959 in the amount of \$104.00 is attached. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees that may be required to complete this filing, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this sheet are attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: May 14, 2004